

REQUEST FORM FOR CONTINUATION
APPLICATION UNDER 35 U.S.C. 111(A)

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Prior Application: U.S. Serial No. 09/193,370

Art Unit: (Unassigned)

Examiner: (Unassigned)

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

This is a Request for filing a continuation application, entitled WHOLLY
MICROFABRICATED BIOSENSORS AND PROCESS FOR THE MANUFACTURE
THEREOF, under 35 U.S.C. 111(a) of pending prior Application Serial No. 09/193,370, filed on
November 17, 1998, by the following named inventor(s):

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1. ☒ I hereby verify, to the best of my knowledge, that the enclosed copy of this prior application is a true copy of the above-identified prior application.
2. ☒ Preliminary Amendment is enclosed.
3. ☒ Cancel claims 2-114 and add new claims 115-151 as indicated in the Preliminary Amendment.
4. The filing fee is calculated on the basis of the claims existing in the prior application as amended at 3 above and by the Preliminary Amendment attached:

	No. of Claims		Extra Claims	Rate	Fee
Total Claims	38	Minus 20	18	x \$18=	\$324.00
Independent Claims	6	Minus 3	3	x \$80=	\$240.00
Basic Application Fee					\$710.00
If multiple dependent claims are presented, add \$260.00					\$0.00
Total Application Fee					\$950.00
Subtract ½ if small entity					\$0
TOTAL APPLICATION FEE DUE					\$950.00
ENCLOSED AMOUNT					\$950.00

5. ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17, including any extension of time fees to maintain the pendency of the parent application Serial No. 09/193,370 or credit any over payment to Deposit Account No. 50-0436.
6. ☒ This application is being filed by less than all the inventors named in the prior application. In accordance with 37 CFR 1.63(d)(2), the Commissioner is respectfully requested to delete the names of the following persons who are not inventors of the invention being claimed in this application: Jeanne Itak and Susan Steiner.
7. ☒ Priority of U. S. Application Serial No. 09/193,370, filed Nov. 17, 1998, which is a division of U. S. Application Serial No. 08/484,095, filed June 7, 1995, now U. S. Patent No. 5,837,454, which is a division of U. S. Application Serial No. 07/943,345, filed Sept. 10, 1992, now U. S. Patent No. 5,466,575, which is a division of U. S. Application Serial No. 07/432,714, filed Nov. 7, 1989, now U. S. Patent No. 5,200,051, which is a continuation-in-part of U. S. Application Serial No. 07/381,223, filed July 13, 1989, now abandoned, which is a continuation-in-part of U. S. Application Serial No. 07/270,171, filed Nov. 14, 1988, now abandoned, is claimed under 35 U.S.C. § 120.

8. ☒ This application is assigned to i-STAT Corporation, Princeton, New Jersey, a copy of the Assignment can be found in the parent application Serial No. 08/109,507, recorded November 2, 1992, at Reel 006312, Frame 0925.

9. ☐ The power of attorney in the International application is to:

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600 Fourteenth Street, N.W.
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10. ☒ Also enclosed: Declaration and Power of Attorney from the parent application.

11. ☐ A petition, fee and response has been filed to extend the term in the pending application until .

12. ☒ Address all future communications to:

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13. ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the filing fee of \$950.00, charge any additional filing fees and credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-0436. A duplicate copy is enclosed.

☒ Any additional filing fees required under 37 CFR 1.16.

14. ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of following fees during the pendency of this application or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-0436. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

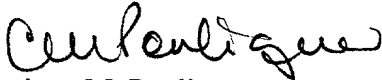
☒ Any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17.

☒ Any filing fees under 37 CFR 1.16 for presentation of extra claims.

Respectfully Submitted,

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